

## Quality Council 2023 Aligned Measure Set

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**Background:** The Aligned Measure Set is a set of 28 measures from which OHS requests insurers select measures for use in value-based contracts. The Aligned Measure Set contains Core Measures and Menu Measures. **Core Measures** are those that OHS respectfully requests insurers use in all value-based Advanced Network contracts. OHS has designated additional measures as **Menu Measures**. These measures are for optional use in value-based contracts. OHS also respectfully requests that insurers limit the quality measures they use in value-based Advanced Network contracts to only those found in the Core and Menu Sets.

#	Measure Name	NQF	Steward	Source
<b>Core Measure Set (7)</b>				
<b>Care Coordination (1)</b>				
1	Plan All-cause Readmission	1768	NCQA	Claims
<b>Acute &amp; Chronic Care (2)</b>				
2	Controlling High Blood Pressure	0018	NCQA	EHR
3	Hemoglobin A1c Control for Patients with Diabetes: HbA1c Poor Control (>9%)	0059	NCQA	EHR
<b>Prevention (2)</b>				
4	Child and Adolescent Well-care Visits	NA	NCQA	Claims
5	Prenatal and Postpartum Care	1517	NCQA	EHR
<b>Behavioral Health (1)</b>				
6	Follow-up After Emergency Department Visit for Mental Illness (7-Day)	3489	NCQA	Claims
<b>Health Equity (1)</b>				
7	Health Equity Measure <sup>1</sup>	NA	CT OHS	EHR
<b>Menu Measure Set (21)</b>				
<b>Consumer Engagement (1)</b>				
1	PCMH CAHPS Survey	0005	NCQA	Survey
<b>Care Coordination (1)</b>				
2	Transitions of Care <sup>2</sup>	NA	NCQA	EHR
<b>Prevention (9)</b>				
3	Breast Cancer Screening <sup>3</sup>	2372	NCQA	Claims
4	Cervical Cancer Screening	0032	NCQA	Claims
5	Chlamydia Screening in Women	0033	NCQA	Claims
6	Colorectal Cancer Screening	0034	NCQA	EHR
7	Immunizations for Adolescents (Combo 2)	1407	NCQA	Claims
8	Developmental Screening in the First Three Years of Life	1448	OHSU	EHR
9	Well-Child Visits in the First 30 Months of Life	1392	NCQA	Claims

<sup>1</sup> This measure was previously titled the *Race, Ethnicity and Language (REL) Stratification Measure*. Specifications for this measure can be found here: <https://portal.ct.gov/OHS/Pages/Quality-Council/Core-Measure-Set>.

<sup>2</sup> This measure is specified as a Medicare-only measure but can be used in commercial and Medicaid contracts; however, not for reporting purposes.

<sup>3</sup> NCQA allows organizations to expand the denominator age range to 40-74 years of age. The available benchmarks for this measure, however, are commonly for the 50-74 years of age range.

#	Measure Name	NQF	Steward	Source
10	Screening for Depression and Follow-up Plan	0418	CMS	EHR
11	Behavioral Health Screening (Medicaid only) <sup>4</sup>	NA	CT DSS	Claims
<b>Acute &amp; Chronic Care (3)</b>				
12	Asthma Medication Ratio	1800	NCQA	Claims
13	Eye Exam for Patients with Diabetes	0055	NCQA	EHR
14	Kidney Health Evaluation for Patients with Kidney Disease	NA	NCQA	EHR
<b>Behavioral Health (6)</b>				
15	Follow-up Care for Children Prescribed ADHD Medication	0108	NCQA	Claims
16	Metabolic Monitoring for Children and Adolescents on Antipsychotics (Medicaid only) <sup>3</sup>	2800	NCQA	Claims
17	Follow-up After Hospitalization for Mental Illness (7-Day)	0576	NCQA	Claims
18	Substance Use Assessment in Primary Care	NA	IEHP	Claims
19	Concurrent Use of Opioids and Benzodiazepines	3389	PQA	Claims
20	Use of Pharmacotherapy for Opioid Use Disorder	3400	CMS	Claims
<b>Social Determinants of Health (1)</b>				
21	Social Determinants of Health Screening <sup>5</sup>	NA	CT OHS	Survey

<sup>4</sup> This measure is applicable for Medicaid only and is not intended to be used in any commercial payer contracts.

<sup>5</sup> Specifications for this measure can be found here: <https://portal.ct.gov/OHS/Pages/Quality-Council/Core-Measure-Set>.